No. 18-302	
Title:	**Andrei Iancu, Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director, Patent and Trademark Office, Petitioner** **v.** **Erik Brunetti**
Docketed:	September 7, 2018
Linked with 18A15	
Lower Ct:	United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit
Case Numbers:	(2015-1109)
Decision Date:	December 15, 2017
Rehearing Denied:	April 12, 2018
Questions Presented	

DATE	PROCEEDINGS AND ORDERS
Jun 29 2018	Application (18A15) to extend the time to file a petition for a writ of certiorari from July 11, 2018 to August 10, 2018, submitted to The Chief Justice. **Main Document** **Lower Court Orders/Opinions** **Proof of Service**
Jul 05 2018	Application (18A15) granted by The Chief Justice extending the time to file until August 10, 2018.
Jul 31 2018	Application (18A15) to extend further the time from August 10, 2018 to September 7, 2018, submitted to The Chief Justice. **Written Request** **Proof of Service**
Aug 01 2018	Application (18A15) granted by The Chief Justice extending the time to file until September 7, 2018.
Sep 07 2018	Petition for a writ of certiorari filed. (Response due October 9, 2018) **Petition** **Proof of Service**
Sep 28 2018	Motion to extend the time to file a response from October 9, 2018 to November 8, 2018, submitted to The Clerk. **Main Document** **Proof of Service**
Oct 02 2018	Motion to extend the time to file a response is granted and the time is extended to and including November 8, 2018.
Nov 08 2018	Brief of respondent Erik Brunetti filed.

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Nov 28 2018	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of 1/4/2019.
Dec 11 2018	Reply of petitioners Andrei Iancu, Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director, United States Patent and Trademark Office filed. (Distributed) **Proof of Service** **Main Document**
Jan 04 2019	Petition GRANTED.
Feb 11 2019	SET FOR ARGUMENT on Monday, April 15, 2019
Feb 15 2019	Joint appendix filed. **Main Document** **Proof of Service**
Feb 15 2019	Brief of petitioner Andrei Iancu, Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director, United States Patent and Trademark Office filed. **Proof of Service** **Main Document**
Feb 19 2019	Brief amicus curiae of Kurt M. Anderson filed. **Main Document** **Certificate of Word Count** **Proof of Service**
Feb 19 2019	Consents for amicus brief of Kurt M. Anderson not accepted for filing. (March 04, 2019 – Document not of the type that is to be filed electronically)
Feb 25 2019	Brief amicus curiae of The American Intellectual Property Law Association in support of neither party filed. **Main Document** **Certificate of Word Count** **Proof of Service**
Feb 26 2019	Brief amicus curiae of New York Intellectual Property Law Association in support of neither party filed. **Main Document** **Certificate of Word Count** **Proof of Service**
Mar 18 2019	Brief of respondent Erik Brunetti filed. **Main Document** **Other** **Certificate of Word Count** **Proof of Service**
Mar 20 2019	CIRCULATED
Mar 21 2019	Record requested from the U.S.C.A. Federal Circuit.
Mar 21 2019	Brief amicus curiae of Pacific Legal Foundation filed. (Distributed) **Main Document** **Certificate of Word Count** **Proof of Service**
Mar 22 2019	Brief amicus curiae of Simon Tam filed. (Distributed)

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Mar 25 2019	Brief amici curiae of Professors Barton Beebe and Jeanne Fromer filed. (Distributed)		
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Mar 25 2019	Brief amicus curiae of The Rutherford Institute filed. (Distributed)		
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Mar 25 2019	Brief amici curiae of American Civil Liberties Union and the ACLU of the District of Columbia filed. (Distributed)		
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Mar 25 2019	Brief amici curiae of The Cato Institute, et. al. filed. (Distributed)		
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Mar 25 2019	Brief amicus curiae of International Trademark Association filed. (Distributed)		
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Mar 27 2019	Record from the U.S.C.A. Federal Circuit is electronic and located on Pacer.		
Apr 02 2019	Reply of petitioner Andrei Iancu, Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director, United States Patent and Trademark Office filed. (Distributed)		
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Apr 15 2019	Argued. For petitioner: Malcolm L. Stewart, Deputy Solicitor General, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. For respondent: John R. Sommer, Irvine, Cal.		
Jun 24 2019	Adjudged to be AFFIRMED. Kagan, J., delivered the **opinion** of the Court, in which Thomas, Ginsburg, Alito, Gorsuch and Kavanaugh, JJ., joined. Alito, J., filed a concurring opinion. Roberts, C. J., and Breyer, J., filed opinions concurring in part and dissenting in part. Sotomayor, J., filed an opinion concurring in part and dissenting in part, in which Breyer, J., joined.		

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